

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of:

Michael B. Zemel

Appl. No. 10/017,568

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For : MATERIALS AND METHODS FOR
THE TREATMENT OR PREVENTION
OF OBESITY

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RESPONSE AND AMENDMENT

MS Amendment
Commissioner for Patents
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Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed July 10, 2008, Applicants submit the following response.

If any fee is required other than those already provided for with this filing, the Commissioner is authorized to charge Deposit Account No. 22-0261, with reference to Attorney Docket No. 31894-192402, and notify the undersigned counsel accordingly.

Amendments to the Claims begin on page 2 of this paper.

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